

WILLIAM RAFETTO DISCHARGED FROM JURY

VANDERBILT GAVE HIM MONEY

NEW JUROR FOR M'NULTY CASE

Judge Harris Says He is Sorry He Cannot Punish the Discharged Talesman.



WILLIAM RAFETTO THE DISCHARGED JUROR

COLONEL MANN OF TOWN TOPICS
A WILLING WITNESS.

NEW YORK Jan. 23—Colonel Mann editor of "Town Topics" was recalled to the witness stand today when the trial of Norman Hapgood editor of Col. Harris' weekly on a charge of criminal libel was resumed. The charge is brought by J. J. Joseph M. Dowell a stockholder of "Town Topics".

A copy of "Town Topics" issued in 1909 was shown the witness who denied that Abraham H. Hammill, lawyer, had consulted him about an unimportant paragraph in that issue of the paper.

TELLS WHOLE HISTORY

Colonel Mann then told of the beginning of his connection with "Town Topics" and how W. K. Vanderbilt gave him \$10,000

to start it up, and how he paid him \$10,000 in debt.

It was at this time that I became interested in "Town Topics" and I went to W. K. Vanderbilt and told him I need \$10,000 more and I'll get it if you'll let me take over "Town Topics" take us collateral security.

NEED MORE MONEY

I told Mr. Vanderbilt that I wished to go out and get another \$10,000 to him to help me. He told me that while I could not help me, he could not help me either. I went to Mr. Vanderbilt and told him I need \$10,000 more and I'll get it if you'll let me take over "Town Topics" take us collateral security.

He then turned me down and he did not care to loan me any more money but he will be paid.

RUSSIA'S FUTURE

American Manufacturer Declares Things Look Very Dark.

MOSCOW Jan. 23—Alexander Barry a naturalized American who is among the prominent manufacturers of Moscow talked exceedingly gloomily of the situation here. Mr. Barry deplores from 300 to 3000 the number of men he has more or less in the ranks of the Russian communists, many of whom in the past year have been captured by the Red Guard.

The opening of hostilities of war by the people of the imperial reform movement leaves to the people for liberty a choice between the empire and the czar.

THE OFFENSE

Rafetto on one day was selected as a juror to try the case. He swore that there was no reason to him known why he could not render an impartial verdict.

The next day he went to court and stated that he could no longer act in the case.

LAW IMPOTENT

The question then arose as to whether the offending juror could be discharged without giving the defendant a chance to plead once in jeopardy.

MUNICIPAL CONSENTS

This morning Judge Hart ordered his decision on the point which is epitomized above. It was not rendered, however, until in addition to the consent thereto of the opposing counsel was received the assurance of the defendant himself that he would not rights he might have to take advantage of the situation and for his friends to express a desire to have the case continued, this being the purpose of the defendant's statement.

The shortage of the secretary has been made good by his friends. It amounted to more than \$100. It was thought that the matter had been entirely hushed up and that there would be no thoughts of prosecuting.

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JUROR ARRAIGNED

During the proceedings which led to the dismissal of Rafetto, the other eleven jurors were given a recess. Rafetto alone of the panel remained in court and sat with his back to the wall on the surface and supporting the body on either side.

His face which has an unusually ruddy glow, was afire, because of the

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WILL PROBE CHARGE OF HAZING

CAST-OFF WIFE DOESN'T CARE

Woman Says She Doesn't Mind if She Never Sees Her Husband Again.

BOARD OF EDUCATION TO MAKE AN INVESTIGATION.

The Board of Education City Superintendent of Schools McClymonds and Principal Pond of the Oakland High School are considerably exercised over the alleged hazing of Frank Courant Jr., a student residing at 1069 Grove street and are taking means to discover who the offenders are so that they may be properly disciplined.

STUDENTS RUSH HIM.

The youth who alleges his person was submitted to unceasing and unusual indignities states that he was riding past the High School when a number of students rushed upon him and began an Indian dance around him which ended in his being jerked from his wheel and beaten with clubs and sticks.

Young Courant says he was tied up by the hands and belabored until his tormentors were tired of the sport.

BOYS ACCUSED

After I was released says the student who was beaten I went to the city hall in the hope of getting a warrant. There were five boys concerned in the attack.

I know two of them by sight I want them arrested.

City Superintendent of Schools McClymonds stated this morning that he would take the matter up with Principal Pond and have the alleged hazing thoroughly sifted.

Principal Pond also states that he will investigate the matter and ascertain to what extent the High School students went in their treatment of Courant.

IS ACCUSED OF MANY THEFTS

ELEVEN CHARGES HELD AGAINST OFFICIAL OF LODGE.

Dr. George H. Derrick president of the Woodmen's Hall Association this morning swore out a warrant charging James J. McConnell assistant secretary and deputy County Assessor with grand larceny.

The specific charge is that McConnell stole \$250 from the lodge. Dr. Derrick states that he has ten other charges which he can place against McConnell if necessary.

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POLICE JUDGE SMITH fixed the bail of McConnell at \$1500 cash or \$3000 bond.

Attorney W. H. O'Brien has been retained in the case and is endeavoring to secure bail.

DEFENDANT'S DESIRE

It is the desire of the defendant to have the case submitted to a jury that



MR. AND MRS. JULIAN PANTENSKY

BOODLER IS NOW ON TRIAL

FRENCH FACES A JURY; CONVICT BUNKERS TO TESTIFY.

SACRAMENTO Jan. 23—The trial of former Senator Frank French who was expelled from the State Senate at the last session of the Legislature, began before Superior Judge E. C. Hart today on a charge of bribery.

Judge Hart is the jurist before whom the cases of former Senators Harry Bunker and E. J. Emmons were tried on a similar charge both trials resulting in convictions.

CAUSES COMMENT

There has been a great deal of speculation as to whether the jury in French's case will be isolated as was done under an order of court in the trial of Emmons.

In the latter's case the trial covered a period of five weeks during which time the jury was in charge of Sheriff David Reese and his deputies and was confined to the jury room when not in court listening to testimony.

It was a long siege for the jurors, and there was much comment over the fact that while Emmons the defendant was at liberty on bail the jurors were at all times in the custody of the sheriff.

It does not appear that the jury in French's case will be isolated. Unless it should develop that the protection of the public interest demand the isolation of the jury no such action will be taken.

MAY HAVE FREEDOM.

District Attorney A. M. Seymour has not asked the court for an order placing the jury beyond contact with possible outside influences and indicated today that he would not make such a request.

Judge Hart said the question of isolation as related to the jury had not been presented to him in any phase.

The actual trial of Emmons consumed five weeks followed by an investigation into the charge by the disgraced legislator's counsel that the jurors consumed vast quantities of liquor and it was nearly seven weeks before the jurors in the case were released from attendance upon court.

TIME OF TRIAL

Another point of speculation upon the part of court habitués is the time the trial of French will consume. Judge J. B. Devine of counsel for the defense said to the Associated Press correspondent today that he thought the case would occupy between two and a half and three weeks.

It is generally understood that the trial of French does not carry the importance which attached to the cases of Bunker and Emmons. Generally the testimony in the cases of Bunker and Emmons will be introduced in the case against French.

BUNKERS TO TESTIFY.

Harry Bunker will be brought from San Quentin where a few days ago he began serving his five year sentence upon conviction of the charge of robbery.

Arthur Lee the colored porter who testified to having had custody for a time of the bribe money which was provided for Bunker. Wright Emmons and French will also be a witness for the prosecution.

The defectors George N. Tichenor and Henry Hartling will be on hand for the prosecution as will Joseph S. Jordan the well known newspaper correspondent who acted as the go-between for the quartet of disgraced Senators and the building and loan associations that were seeking to make

FOR THE DEFENSE.

On the other hand French will have a number of witnesses to testify to his good character. It is known that some of the most prominent men in State politics office holders and politicians alike will be on hand to give French a good character.

That the prosecution anticipates this feature of the defense was indicated in the course of the examination of talesmen this morning. Among the questions asked by Senator and Charles T. Jones of special counsel for the prosecution was that as to whether the protracted trial was acquittals.

John D. Mackenzie of San Jose, one of the most prominent politicians in the State and at present a member of the board of harbor commissioners of San Francisco.

At noon when a recess had been taken, six talesmen had been examined, but neither side had signified acceptance or rejection of any of that number. The questions propounded by both sides of the case in determining the qualifications of the jurors were such as were asked in the trials of Bunker and Emmons.

SUDEN DEATH.

NEW ORLEANS Jan. 23—James Debuys a member of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange and prominent in the social and business world of New Orleans, died suddenly today, aged 63 years.

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PLAN STEAMSHIP J. B. BOWEN IS LINE

HARRIMAN MAY START CONNECTION WITH ALASKA RAILROAD.

ACTING AS PRESIDENT OF BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL.

PORLAND, Ore., Jan. 23.—At a meeting between the wholesale dealers of Portland, representatives of the Harriman system and John E. Baldwin, representing the Alaska Central Railroad, with is constructing a road to the interior of Alaska from Seward, arrangements were made whereby the Harriman system is to establish a steamship line from Portland to Seward.

The first sailing date is to be about two months hence, which the Portland men believe, will afford ample time to place travel agents in the field and secure sufficient business. The Alaska Central Railroad agrees to divert a portion of its shipments of railroad material to this city for transhipment, in order to induce the establishment of this steamship line.

Announcement boards for trade news are becoming quite the fashion. Card playing for money is strictly prohibited, which shows the organized stand of union labor on such matters.

BARBER SHOP.

W. F. Jerome, formerly in soda water employment in office work in Oakland, has opened a barber shop at 610 East Twelfth street. It is a union shop. Mr. Jerome is an apt man at many kinds of useful work.

NEW CONTRACTOR.

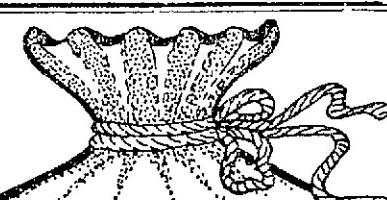
D. Simpson, late of Sacramento, but now a member of No. 36, carpenters, is now contracting in Cukland.

ATTORNEY HERRIN TO ARRIVE TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—Chief Counsel William F. Herrin of the Southern Pacific arrives home from New York today, while Peter F. Dunn, one of the assistants, got back from Washington, D. C., yesterday. Both Herrin and Dunn will immediately come to the assistance of Attorney John E. Frick in preparing for next Monday's battle in the United States Circuit Court against the Western Pacific in the matter of their conflicting claims for a terminal on the Oakland water front adjoining the north training, January 31, 1906.

GRADUATING EXERCISES.

The graduating exercises given by the pupils of Miss Thompson's room at the Lincoln School on Friday last was a very pleasant affair. The recitations, instrumental music and singing was enjoyable and well received. Among the graduates taking part were the Misses Gladys Webster, Eleanor Bassett, Blanche Pembrey, Rose O'Kane, Blanche Stewart, Fern Hatch and Messrs. Frank Bohm and Jay Robert. The "Miss Prophecy" created much merriment and was well received.



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OAKLAND**JUDGE HENSHAW MAY BE IN THE FIGHT**

Justice of the Supreme Court is Said to Aspire For the Federal Judgeship.

The politicians who have thought that the fight for the position on the new United States District Court bench was to be between ex-Judge W. C. Van Fleet and Collector of the Port Fred S. Stratton are just now a good deal concerned because of the appearance of a "new Richmond in the field."

The contestants had laid ex-United States District Attorney Marshall D. Woodworth away with his political fathers. Other aspirants for the coveted place had come and gone. The people of the State had settled to the conclusion that either Stratton or Van Fleet would have the place just as soon as it was created.

Of course Van Fleet was strong with Herrin. He had done railroad politics in a program way for a long time. His associations were all with the railroad clique. But Herrin hasn't been so strong of late. His plans have gone agape. There is a tendency to make fun of his "organization," and to be made fun of is fatal to a politician.

Stratton, on the other hand, has not always taken orders. He was one of the leaders of the revolt against Dan Burns when Herrin wanted the Colonel for United States Senator. But he was close to Senator Perkins and had been the law partner of Circuit Judge W. W. Morrow, who is engineering one of the bills in Congress establishing a new District Judge for the Northern

California district. He also is a friend of United States Senator Flint. So he has been given the place in the calculation of many of the politicians. But just now appears the "new Richmond in the field."

He is none other than Supreme Court Justice Frederick W. Henshaw. It so happens that Justice Henshaw's twelve-year term on California's highest bench will expire this year. There has been much question as to whether he would seek a renomination. Recently the idea has grown that he would throw his influence to Superior Judge Harry A. Melvin of Alameda county, who seeks the nomination. Henshaw and Melvin have a bond of sympathy in a hatred of Governor George C. Pardee.

But now comes the knowledge that Justice Henshaw seeks the appointment as District Judge when the new place is created. At once it is seen that he is a formidable candidate. He is closer to Herrin than any of the others. He is related to Judge Morley by marriage. Though not on the easiest terms with Senator Perkins he is a dear friend of Senator Flint. But above all things else he is the bosom chum of Secretary of Commerce and Labor Victor H. Metcalf, and has also the earnest backing of Frank J. Honey.

So the politicians have somewhat modified their notions as to who is to get that coveted District Judgeship, and the aspirants are in more confusion than are the politicians who merely view the struggle from afar off.—San Francisco Examiner, January 23.

NEW JUROR FOR McNULTY CASE

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can't be tampered with and then let the ax fall where it may.

"I will consent to the excusing of Mr. Raffetto or any other man who is under suspicion—if there is any."

Deputy District Attorney Brown made a similar admission.

Frick—There is no question about that. It is admitted and the records show it doesn't affect the case.

Raffetto—I would consider it a favor if any person who knows anything wrong that has been done in this case will come forward and inform me of it. Even power of the court will be used to get him to turn down the person who has caused this injury, and I would like to strike out to him the severest penalty of the law.

McNulty's ADMISSION.

"Do you" asked the court of the defendant, "want to waive any question of having been once in jeopardy?"

McNulty then rose and declared that he waived any rights he might have to plead that he was once in jeopardy.

RAFFETTO EXPLAINS.

The court then directed his attention to Juror Raffetto, by asking what explanation he had to make of his conduct in the premises.

"I will say," replied Raffetto, "that no one, not even my wife, spoke to me regarding the case. I will make a statement if you want me to why I want to be excused from this jury."

The court then granted a recess to the other jurors who receded from the room. After a quiet had been restored, Raffetto said:

RAFFETTO'S REASONS.

"The reason why I did not want to serve on the jury was that I know Mr. McNulty but have never associated with him. I never talked to him with him. My defense reason was, Mr. Frick was my counsel on three different occasions. He said I was acquainted with the officers of the court. I am a city employee. I did not think it was right for me to serve because, if he was acquitted, they would say the case was fixed."

TOLD HIS WIFE.

I told my wife that I had been accepted on the McNulty jury and she said it was a shame and that she could not understand how they accepted me. She said it would make lots of trouble for me. I went to bed that night and I thought it all over. I was troubled in mind and I concluded that I ought not to act as a juror."

Attorney Frick—"I want to ask if any one connected with the defense in the case has approached you or approached any one of the jurors?"

OUT OF CITY.

Raffetto—"No. I have been out of the city to keep away from people and to keep away from reporters."

Frick—"Did the reporter of a certain paper speak to you about this?"

REPORTERS.

Raffetto—"A reporter came to my house and asked me if I had received any money. He wanted to see Mrs. Raffetto. After that, another reporter came to the house and I told him I didn't want to speak to him about it. He is here in the court. I can point him out."

The Court—"Point him out."

Raffetto—"There he is now." (Indicating one of a bunch of newspaper men.)

AS TO HIS COUNSEL.

The Court—"You remember that I called your attention to your relations with Attorney Frick, and your statement that you had no litigation at that time and that if you had you would again have Mr. Frick as attorney. You remember what you said?"

TO USE HIM.

Raffetto—"They accepted me to use me. That is what I think."

Frick—"What do you mean by that?"

Raffetto—"Being a city employee, it was natural for me to feel that way, because I know the rest of the gang."

The Court—"What do you mean by the 'rest of the gang'?"

The officers of the court and the attorneys.

Frick—"Does anybody talk to you about the case?"

Raffetto—"No. I am a city employee. I want to keep away from the people and other pieces to keep out of the way of people and reporters."

Frick—"Did any of the attorneys?"

Raffetto—"No."

COURT'S REGRET.

The Court—"If there was any ground

upon which I could have gotten you out of that jury I would have made use of it, because I thought you ought not to be it." Raffetto—I thought so myself.

THROWN HIM OFF.

The Court—"It is a great pity that power would have thrown you off the jury. I am sorry the law is not such that I cannot mete out some punishment to you, because you qualified as juror on one day and the next day you came here and said that you were disqualified."

GOLD THE SHERIFF.

Frick—"Why did you say so?"

Raffetto—I told the Sheriff when I was subpoenaed.

District Attorney Allen—Didn't Assistant District Attorney Brown say anything to you on your relations with Mr. Frick?

Frick—There is no question about that. It is admitted and the records show it does not affect the case.

Raffetto—I would consider it a favor if any person who knows anything wrong that has been done in this case will come forward and inform me of it. Even power of the court will be used to get him to turn down the person who has caused this injury, and I would like to strike out to him the severest penalty of the law.

TALK OF MONEY.

Frick—It is cowardly for a newspaper to publish a statement that there have been meetings, but they approach that, that the sum paid has been made known, and then not to produce the evidence behind it.

The Court—"I don't see that the Court has any further use for the defendant."

Frick—"When I questioned you, did you think I was anxious to have you on the jury?"

Raffetto—I didn't think you wanted me at all. I didn't know who wanted me at all.

The Court then asked Raffetto if he did not think when Mr. Honor examined him that he did not perceive that the Court did not wish him to be on the jury.

Raffetto—I did not recall the examination by the Court. Raffetto also said that he did not know the all the presumption of law on the part of the prosecution had been exhausted. He knew nothing on that matter.

Attorney Frick said the defense was still entitled to ten per cent of the damages, but would waive all but two, and it might not need to exercise those.

The prosecution announced that all its peremptory challenges had been exhausted. The special venire was then ordered. Recess, 40-55.

The talesmen secured on the special

venire above referred to are as follows:

Martin Ryan, horseshoer, 571 Eighth street.

J. Andrews, painter, 514 Twenty-fourth street.

G. Davis, clerk, 575 Eighth street.

L. Baker, poultry, 410 Fifth street.

Kelly, 162 Fourth street.

M. Begnan, 1005 Seventh street.

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TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 23.—A man accused of having drilled into the vault of the Merchants' National Bank of Topeka and coming near the securing \$17,000 to him, was captured at Lawrence last night, when he tried to sell some of the stamps found in the vault to a hack driver, who reported it to the officer in charge of the investigation. The man, identified as drilling last Wednesday, living in the basement until Sunday, when his work was discovered, had drilled through six feet of solid masonry, the hole being so small that an entrance by a man seemed impossible.

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CITY COUNCIL GRANTS FRANCHISE TO THE WESTERN PACIFIC RAILROAD

After a battle of two hours between the attorneys of the Western Pacific and the Southern Pacific Railroad Companies, the committee of the whole of the City Council, which met last night to consider the matter of granting to the first mentioned company a franchise to operate its lines through a portion of the yards of the Southern Pacific Company, decided to recommend the proposition by a unanimous vote.

The Southern Pacific was sparing for time and the Western Pacific Company wanted haste. It was pointed out on the one side that there was no necessity of hurrying the matter, and on the other hand that the new line should be encouraged.

UP TO THE COURTS.

While the decision of the committee of the whole was an apparent victory for the Western Pacific Company, it will not carry much weight, as the courts will have to pass on the question of whether or not the Western Pacific has a right to condemn a right of way through the yards and across the tracks of the Southern Pacific.

In event the courts should decide that the Western Pacific had no right, then the franchise granted by the Council would fall of its own accord.

The discussion of the question was opened by Attorney Charles E. Snook, representing the Western Pacific. He said:

"We would like the committee of the whole to hear what Mr. Bogue, senior attorney and vice-president of the Great Line, has to say. He will be able to tell you what we want."

WHAT IS WANTED.

Engineer Bogue—We are asking for a right of way to cross the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company so that we may get deep water terminal facilities and move the commerce not only of San Francisco but of the world.

Attorney Frank M. Shay—The committee should be pleased that the proposed route of way through our property crosses our lines where there are 1500 trains per day, and also that it passes over our shops.

Attorney R. M. Fitzgerald—These shows were not commenced until the Western Pacific started of coming in.

CROSS OTHER TRACKS.

Engineer Bogue—All of you gentlemen have undoubtedly been to San Francisco. There you will see that rival railroads cross each other's tracks. The conclusions there are similar to the one I have at the Feratta street slip. It was recently in Baltimore, where the eastern terminus of the Western Pacific is located. There we saw no difficulty about crossing rival tracks. We crossed the Baltimore and Ohio without any objection being made whatsoever.

"It has been customary through all of the cities of the United States to let the new railroad come in. In all cases where it has been possible they have been allowed to come in or the ground and not on occupied tracks. We are asking for the privilege here. We are asking that the Council grant a right of way across the ground where a yard one-third of a mile wide would be laid one. It would be a grave condition to cross the contiguous and then on arriving at the city limits of Oakland begin to go up and down hill.

"This policy of occupying a railroad to keep so many feet above the earth affects every kind of freight and every passenger."

A GREAT CITY.

"The status of Oakland, generally, is one that's destined to make it a great city. The water frontage of San Francisco is limited. The great Oriental trade will be done on the docks I have in mind.

"I am connected in one of the great railroad companies about two years ago and have been connected since relative to bringing a railroad from the north over the Sierras to Oakland.

"There is no question about the future of Oakland. The great Oriental trade will go far beyond our dreams. The Pacific railroad will help us."

SOME NOTES.

"Now, Mr. Shay of the Southern Pacific Company has told you about the number of trains that must be run and crossed in a day. Let me read you a few notes that I prepared on the subject."

"At one point in Chicago there are seventeen tracks crossing one another. There are eight tracks crossing in another section. All of those tracks handle hundreds of thousands of cars per day. In Kansas City, Council Burns and a score of other cities, tracks cross each other in great numbers. Here we only ask to cross the lines of one company."

INDEPENDENT LINE.

The Western Pacific is building an independent line here. We do not propose to be bound up to any company. We are coming here to make legitimate competition. It is the policy of Mr. Gould. We do not wish to have such facilities as will enable us to carry on a great transcontinental business."

ATTORNEY MC'ELROY.

City Attorney McElroy—I received the communication only this evening.

"Shea thinks it would be best to submit to the court. I think it would be best to have the communication road ready. I will say that if the City Attorney is expected to pass upon all these questions, it will be some time before all of them could be answered."

DOCUMENT FROM SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

The following document was then submitted by Attorney Frank Shay of the Southern Pacific Company:

"Law Department, Southern Pacific Company, San Francisco, Jan. 22, 1906.

J. E. McElroy, Esq., City Attorney of Oakland, Cal.—Dear Sir: W. S. Palmer, general superintendent of the Southern Pacific Company, has handed to me your communication of the 16th inst., relating to applications for franchises filed with the Council of the City of Oakland, by the Western Pacific Company, which have been referred to the committee of the whole council in conjunction with yourself, as City Attorney, and requesting the Southern Pacific Company to submit their application, particularly the part concerning the right of way application.

"First—That the property described in the applications of the Western Pacific Railway Company is already devoted to a public use equal, if not superior, to that which the Western Pacific Railway Company proposes to put it.

"Second—That the application of the Western Pacific Railway Company shows that the piers, slips, docks, etc., which the Western Pacific Railway Company constructs, authority to be built on lands outside the limits of the city of Oakland, and the same is true of part of the right of way for which the Western Pacific Railway Company asks, as described in the right of way application.

"Third—That even if all the lands described in the applications were within the city limits, the Council would have no power to grant any franchises to construct wharves, docks, or piers in front of property bordering on the bay of San Francisco and owned by the Southern Pacific Company; that the Southern Pacific Company, being the owner of the shore lands down to the line of ship channel under a grant derived from the State of California, has been guaranteed by the State free access to navigable waters and this right of access could not be cut off by the State by the construction of wharves, piers and docks in front of the property of the Southern Pacific Company, a fortiori, by any naked trespasser."

QUESTION OF LAW.

"The questions of law and of right involved in the applications of the Western Pacific Railway Company are too numerous to be treated hurriedly. The Southern Pacific Company requests, and the request is fair and reasonable, that it be given such time as may be necessary to fully and properly present its case to the committee of the whole council and to yourself. There are not only many questions of law involved—questions which require close and careful investigation—but questions of fact which the Southern Pacific Company desires to submit to the committee."

FAIR HEARING.

"I assume that the committee of the whole has no intention or desire to deny to the Southern Pacific Company a full and fair hearing. As I understand it, the committee, before deciding what recommendation it will make to the Council concerning the two applications of the Western Pacific Railway Company, will wish to be fully informed in the premises."

ON PRIVATE PROPERTY.

"Fifth—That no part of the route for the statements made by the representatives of the Southern Pacific Company touches any public street, avenue or highway—that every foot of such route is upon private property, and that neither the Council nor the people of the city of Oakland have any legal concern in the premises."

IS NOT SATISFIED.

Councilman Donaldson—if there is any person here who would like to be further heard in behalf of the South-

Representatives of Rival Lines Present at Meeting and Engage in a Brisk Debate.

ter all the benefits it has received from this city.

BELIEVE IN FUTURE.

The projectors of the Western Pacific Company believe in the future of this coast. They believe that the trade of the Orient and of the Islands of the Pacific will pass through this city and it is with a belief in the public spirit of the people of this city that they are now laying the final link of a great transcontinental railway to deep water in our harbor and it is now for you to say that it shall be given an equal chance with its entrenched competitor.

ATTORNEY SHEA SPEAKS TO COUNCIL

Attorney Frank Shay, in behalf of the Southern Pacific, said: "Every foot of ground over which the Western Pacific sees right of way is situated on property of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company. They ask this court to grant them a right of way to grant them a right to grant to them a right of way through the yards and across the tracks of the Southern Pacific.

"It is private property. It has spent money.

"The discussion of the question was opened by Attorney Charles E. Snook, representing the Western Pacific. He said:

"We would like the committee of the whole to hear what Mr. Bogue, senior attorney and vice-president of the Great Line, has to say. He will be able to tell you what we want."

WHAT IS WANTED.

Engineer Bogue—We are asking for a right of way to cross the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company so that we may get deep water terminal facilities and move the commerce not only of San Francisco but of the world.

Attorney R. M. Fitzgerald—Those shows were not commenced until the Western Pacific started of coming in.

CROSS OTHER TRACKS.

Engineer Bogue—All of you gentlemen have undoubtedly been to San Francisco. There you will see that rival railroads cross each other's tracks. The conclusions there are similar to the one I have at the Feratta street slip. It was recently in Baltimore, where the eastern terminus of the Western Pacific is located. There we saw no difficulty about crossing rival tracks. We crossed the Baltimore and Ohio without any objection being made whatsoever.

"As to the Southern Pacific—It is the projectors of the Western Pacific Company opposing the Western Pacific, there is nothing in the charge. All that we asked of the Western Pacific in East Oakland was that they cross our tracks overhead. They agreed to do that. We did not object. At our track on Webster street we insisted that an interlocking crossing be established, and that was agreed to. We did not oppose the granting of the franchises.

"So far as the water front is concerned, haven't they got land down there? They bought land there, and we did not stop them, and we did not object to it."

MAKE OBJECTION.

"First what we do object to is their asking the Council to grant them a right of way through our property, which is private property, and at a place where they will do most harm to us by crossing our tracks where they are most busy at all times of the day. This is asking the Council to do something which it ought not to do, and which it cannot do. They ask for a right of way over our tracks where millions of tons of freight are carried back and forth every year.

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Nearing the Wind-up of January's Big Sale

But little more than a week and then your opportunity ceases to buy staple goods at prices greatly below their actual worth. The bargain wave is gathering more force as it sweeps all over the house before it reaches level water on February 1.

January Specials in the Children's Section

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| While many lines are specially reduced bear in mind that on all lines there is a discount of ten per cent |
| Children's Dresses of pretty woolen materials broken sizes 2 to 5 years \$1.60 and \$1.25 values Special 75c |
| One lot of \$1.50 values Special 85c |
| One lot of \$2.00 values Special 95c |
| Ten per cent reduction on all other Infants' Wear |

Silk Neckwear Special 25c

One lot of fancy silk stock collars with tabs elaborately embroidered white with pink blue or lavender all white or black wide variety of patterns Choice at 25c

Ten per cent off all other Neckwear and Lace Collars, not specially reduced

White Lawn Shirt Waist Patterns Special 69c

Entire remaining stock embracing half a dozen good designs of regular \$6.00 and \$1.75 values beautifully embroidered enough material for a waist of any size

Blankets, Spreads and Comforters

California Wool Blankets regular \$5.00 and \$8.50 values—the mill only takes seconds but they're good as new for all purposes, gray only Special \$3.75 pair

Two lots of White Bed Spreads only an expert can tell they are seconds great values at \$1.00 and \$1.25

Comforters Special \$1.20

Full size Silksilkine Comforters pure white filling many different patterns

In the Suit Section

There are Hundreds of Big Money-Savers

All that remains of our Long Coat Suits—and they're being extensively worn today—are REDUCED ONE HALF

Over two hundred good Skirts—street and dress length—have been put into two special lots priced at \$3.50 and \$5.00 worth a great deal more

If you buy an Opera Cloak an Evening Costume or a Fur you can effect a material saving as all these lines have been reduced from 25 to 40 per cent

Dress Trim-mings 25 to 50% off

A varied lot of fancy dress trimmings short lengths duplicates something of everything and all good

Special Reductions in Eider-down Sacques

Eiderdown Sacques
Tenn's Flannel Petticoats
Tenn's Flannel Gowns
Black Petticoats Bath Robes
and Kimonos



10% Discount during January on every line in the house not otherwise reduced with the few customary exceptions

WESTERN PACIFIC BUYS WAY

SETTLES WITH FARMERS NEAR LIVERMORE—PROPOSED LI CENSE MAKES STIR

LIVERMORE Jan 23—C. S. McDonald, agent for the Western Pacific, was among the farmers between Lodi and San Jose Saturday night to settle with the road for a way through his property. Mr. Holden says that everything was adjusted without friction.

The Board of Town Trustees to meet at 8 o'clock tonight to take definite action on the application of the Western Pacific for a franchise. The franchise is to be granted but it is not known just what it will be. The Board has decided to object to license.

McDonald is more or less agitated over a part that a portion is being cut out of the road by the Board of Supervisors for a license for a saloon to be located in an unincorporated community known as McCloud.

He further reported that the trustees are so certain that they have secured a government license to move men and Mexican roads out of the limits of the town where no trains pass through it on their way to the town.

It is agreed by those who oppose the license that it is necessary to complete the road on the place in question.

The road will be graded and so that the mud will not be so bad that there is also a good deal of mud causing the mud to run across the street and over sidewalks. There was not an instance where the new ones filled to prove this.

REPLACING SEWERS

All the old style gutters and sewers throughout town are being torn out by the Street Commissioner and replaced with half round pipes and cement.

The wisdom of this change was pointed to over the counter yesterday when the commissioners were asked if they had any objection to the new pipes.

They said that the new pipes are much better.

SHIPPEN PROSPEROUS

Reports from the various lambing camps in the adjacent foothills indicate an unusually prosperous year for the sheepmen in this section of the country.

The recent rains have continued

so that the mud weather did not

cause any loss of lambs. This coupled

with the fact that the new promise

is to feed the lamb and that there is also

no lack of feed.

George Coler is very ill. He was

sick with a severe attack of pleuro-pneumonia four or five days ago and has

grown steadily worse until there is now

very serious doubt as to his ultimate recovery.

The pupils of the Livermore High School will entertain their friends with the first social party of the present school year next Friday evening in the High School Building.

LIVELY BLAZE

As T. D. Knox and wife were coming home from a card party at D. E. Ellinger's Saturday about midnight they discovered that the house of William Plate was on fire. Knox sprang to the fire bell, routed out the men and in a minute had put it out in a short time although it had attained considerable heat. The furniture was ruined from the effects of the smoke and water.

There was no one at home at the time as Mr. Plate was in the city and his two daughters were spending the night with friends so it is not known how the fire originated.

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THE LATEST NEWS OF THE DAY--4:30 P. M.

TRIES TO SUICIDE

WIFE WAS JEALOUS

Wife of Golf Instructor Was Jealous of Husband.

So She Had a Detective Dog Her Husband's Footsteps.

The Imperial Commission Has Arrived at Washington.

CHINESE TO STUDY STATEHOOD

Majority of House Committee Presents Favorable Report.

FAVOR OF FOOTPAD

Police Are Inclined to Believe There Was Collusion in Robbery.

BASEBALL STORY

Prominent Magnates Are in Session Across Bay.

FRANCE IS TO ACT

Will Make a Demonstration in Venezuelan Ports.

SAN MATEO, Jan. 23.—Mrs. F. J. Riley, the young and beautiful wife of the golf instructor at the Burlingame Country Club, early last evening attempted suicide by shooting herself with ferocious jealousy, was before Police Judge Smith this morning on charge of disturbing the peace of E. O'Brien, a private detective who had been employed to follow him. There was no complaint filed, however, and the entire matter was stricken from the calendar.

Mrs. Riley shot herself in a fit of jealousy. She was intensely jealous of attentions shown her popular husband by other women at the club and he was jealous of the admiration of other women. There were numerous quarrels between the couple. Although the two were devoted to each other, jealousy kept them from happiness.

The young woman was alone when she tried to end her life. Her husband was in another room of the pretty cottage occupied near the Burlingame Clubhouse. It was about 9 o'clock and neither had retired. Mrs. Riley had given no intimation of her intention. At that time she had in mind her plan to kill herself.

PEMBROKE'S TRIAL.

The trial of Percy Pembroke for the murder of Thomas Cook, which was to have come up this morning for its second hearing, was postponed until February 14 by Judge Melvin, sitting in the criminal department of the Superior Court, owing to the fact that both Attorney L. S. Church, who represents Pembroke, and District Attorney Allen, for the prosecution, are busy in other cases.

MISS PIERCY DEAD.

Miss Ethel Ray Piercy, daughter of Dr. Arthur T. Piercy, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 888 Nineteenth street. The deceased was a charming young woman, who will be missed by many of her acquaintances. She was a native of Iowa and was 23 years of age. She had resided in this city for the most of her life.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been announced.

TOWN IS SUED.

The Town of Berkeley has been made the defendant in an action brought by George P. Maynard, who with a number of his neighbors, sought to have their homes greatly damaged by the drainage of waters into Duray Creek, which has been caused to overflow on that property.

The town agrees to sever all damages of dollars and there are more persons yet with complaints to be heard from.

J. H. Ringwood, who was the unhappy hero of a horsewhipping episode at Emeryville Sunday evening, in which his wife wielded the rawhide with ferocious jealousy, was before Police Judge Smith this morning on charge of disturbing the peace of E. O'Brien, a private detective who had been employed to follow him. There was no complaint filed, however, and the entire matter was stricken from the calendar.

Mr. Ringwood is young and impressionable, according to his wife's story, and is subject to the wiles of women to more than an ordinary degree. His affairs of the heart are responsible for the awkward predicament he found himself in Sunday. He was riding with another woman, never dreaming that his bride of scarcely a year was within a thousand miles.

The first intimation he had of the presence of his better half was when he felt the lash descend on his shoulders. Many persons witnessed his discomfiture and did not blame him for being in such a hurry to get away.

The wife plainly declared that she would do it again if she found her husband in other woman's company. His arrest on a charge of disturbing the peace was the result of his growing weary of having a shadow. His every flirtation was recorded by Mr. O'Brien who was a faithful sleuth and bore to the ears of the jealous wife. In attempting to get rid of his shadow, which was of the tale bearing kind, young Ringwood is alleged to have disturbed the peace by the violence of his language.

As the case has been dropped from the calendar and will not come up again in the Police Court, the exciting details that would naturally be expected at a recital of the whole story are missing.

TRIAL IS CONTINUED.

Mollie Marston, who was so desperately in love with John W. Bassford that she wrote him love missives after he was married, had her trial on a charge of disturbing the peace continued until January 30 by Police Judge Smith this morning.

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Important Sale of Children's Dresses and Boys' Suits

BROKEN SIZES—Ages Six Months to Seven Years

At price concessions of one-third to one half



No collection of garments ever offered at clearance sale prices contained such a variety of styles and materials—never before such extraordinary reductions on dependable merchandise of the best make and finish.

Space here will not permit mentioning of prices—but we assure you values rarely seen. It is a saving of more than ordinary importance.

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Build the Boulevard

At the earliest possible moment the Council should make provision for completing the boulevard on the east side of Lake Merritt from its present terminus to a junction with Grand avenue at the northeast extremity of the lake. This long delayed improvement is of the first importance to the Seventh Ward, and is imperatively necessary to the development of the region lying north of Sixteenth street and east of the lake. It is an improvement that will enormously enhance the beauty of Lake Merritt and the general attractiveness of the city, as it will afford a spacious driveway around the greater portion of the lake.

Provision has already been made for dredging the lake and filling the marsh below Twelfth street, and work on that improvement will be commenced as soon as the plans now being prepared by the City Engineer are completed and approved. Private beneficence has also provided for the erection of an artistic boathouse on the Twelfth street causeway. As soon as the lake is dredged and the marsh filled in the ornamental boathouse will grace the dam. An extension of the boulevard to Grand avenue is a necessary and integral part of the general treatment of the lake situated in the southern metropolis, the question of its immediate that should not be delayed a moment longer than possible.

Grand avenue has been completed from Oakland avenue to the northeastern extremity of the lake entirely at private expense. It is a broad macadamized thoroughfare that has made the northern shores of the lake easily accessible, and which supplies a splendid connecting link between the broken bits of boulevard at Lake Merritt's southeastern and northwestern extremities. When built it will stop much of the soil wash which the rains now carry into the lake to load it with sediment.

It is proper that the Seventh Ward should take the initiative in the boulevard extension, for the proposed improvement lies wholly within the confines of that political division of the city. The Seventh Ward has two energetic and capable representatives in the Council, who should unite in urging the completion of the boulevard.

Mr. Donaldson is Councilman from the ward and is therefore the special guardian of its interests in the municipal legislature. But while Mr. Aitken is a Councilman-at-large, he is a resident and the property owner of the Seventh Ward. He should therefore feel the same lively interest in the improvement of the lake that is naturally expected of Mr. Donaldson. We trust Mr. Donaldson and Mr. Aitken will both urge this matter on the consideration of the Council without further delay. And the Council as a whole should take a lesson from Los Angeles in this matter. If Lake Merritt were situated in the Southern metropolis, the question of its immediate improvement would not be debated for a moment. That connecting piece of boulevard would be built forthwith. The time has arrived for an exhibition of the same vigorous public spirit in Oakland.

Doubtless some of the Senators were angered at Poulton Bigelow because he fell down before the Senate Committee on Interceanic Canals. They would have been better pleased to have him make his charges good.

The Ventura Free Press suggests that the Democrats nominate Thomas Orlando Toland for Governor. What has the Free Press got against Mr. Toland?

The Mare Island Row.

Representative McKinlay is being sharply criticised for interfering in the local political affairs of Vallejo and the concerns of the Mare Island Navy Yard. We hope he has been unjustly accused, but if he has done as has been charged in the Washington dispatches he has made a grave mistake. Vallejo is not in his district, and he should have kept his hands off there in deference to Congressman Knowland, who has been put to considerable trouble to explain that he had nothing to do with the recent order of the Secretary of the Navy forbidding employees of the navy yard to hold municipal offices in Vallejo.

It is alleged that Congressman McKinlay prompted that order in order to revenge himself on Mayor Roney, who is a candidate for re-election and also a navy yard employee. Mayor Roney offendend Mr. McKinlay by sending out letters during the last campaign advocating the election of Theodore Bell, McKinlay's Democratic opponent. As Roney is a Republican, holding office in the Third Congressional District, he would have done well to have refrained from mixing in the Congressional fight in the Second District, but it seems that his personal friendship for Bell got the better of his discretion.

It is now alleged that Congressman McKinlay, desiring to punish Mayor Roney, had an old civil service rule of another department resurrected and applied to the employees of the Mare Island Navy Yard. Roney having announced himself as a candidate for re-election. Admiral McCalla wrote Secretary Bonaparte stating that he did not think the prohibition served any good purpose, but the order was allowed to stand notwithstanding.

Mayer Roney was thus confronted with the alternative of resigning from the Mayoralty contest or sacrificing his job at the navy yard. He declared that he would run for Mayor anyhow and take his chances of being discharged. His chances of re-election have been greatly improved by the method adopted to force him out of the contest, and Congressman McKinlay has provoked some resentments which may trouble him in the future. The situation derives additional interest from the fact that Mayor Roney is a warm political supporter of Hon. Joseph R. Knowland, who represents Vallejo and Mare Island in Congress. Thus Mr. McKinlay appears in the matter as having invaded another district for the purpose of perusing a political supporter of a colleague and party associate.

Every few months Los Angeles calls a bond election for public improvements, and invariably carries them. Not long ago the city voted \$1,500,000 to acquire water rights on Owens river, and now the Council is preparing to submit a \$750,000 bond issue for public improvements, including a new city hall. Yet the assessed valuation and the tax rate are both considerably higher in Los Angeles than in Oakland. It has been observed in the southern metropolis, however, that property values enhance with each expenditure for adorning and beautifying the city. This is a truth the people of Oakland have yet to learn.

The ordinance recently enacted by the Council making it a misdeameanor to ride bicycles on the sidewalks has been approved by the Mayor and is now in force. Bicyclists should govern themselves accordingly, for the municipal administration proposes to put an end to the dangerous nuisance of wheeling on the sidewalks. At last Oakland is taken out of the village class with respect to the use of sidewalks for bicycling. We are progressing—rather slow in some particulars, to be sure, but nevertheless mossback conservatism is steadily giving way.

Good to Send Away.

The most attractive advertisement of California that has come to our notice is a pamphlet profusely illustrated in colors issued by Charles S. Fee, passenger traffic manager for the Southern Pacific. As its name, "The Road of a Thousand Wonders," implies, it is descriptive of the scenic marvels that abound along the railroad from Los Angeles to Portland. It is a triumph of pictorial art, the text being a running commentary, written in a charming vein, of the scenes so artistically depicted with the pencil. Starting at Los Angeles, the coast country unrolls in its pages like a panorama, the old missions, the giant trees, the picturesque mountains, till the region around San Francisco is reached. The vicinage of the bay naturally takes up a large space. Thence pen and pencil hurry one up through the Sacramento valley, past Shasta's snowy summit, over the Siskiyou mountains, across Rogue River Valley and down the broad Willamette to Portland. The journey is a picturesque one that was never more attractively presented to the intending traveler than in this publication of Mr. Fee's. Everybody that sees this beautiful book will want to come to California and take a ride on "the road of a thousand wonders."

PROFESSOR HOWISON AND THE PRESS.

Professor Howison of the University of California has barred students from his classrooms whom he fancies or knows to be connected with college newspapers. The University of California is conducted at the expense of the taxpayers of the State—you and me and all our neighbors. Professor Howison's salary is paid in the same way—by you and me and the rest of us. Such being the case, it does not lie with him to bar any one from his classes who has complied with the requirements of the institution. The university is not a private school by any manner of means, and the public is entitled if it desires to the fullest and most complete reports of the proceedings in those classrooms. Professor Howison ought to be old enough to know that such action on his part is only to make more certain the very thing that he seeks to prevent—the publication of his frequently odd, but always interesting, views on matters and things. He can depend upon it that he will get into print even more frequently because of his futile attempt to keep out of it and to curtail the rights of his students and the rest of the people.—Alameda Encinal.

CHIPS FROM OTHER BLOCKS.

Crazy Snake called on the President the other day. To prevent a scandal it is necessary to add that the delirium tremens name belongs to a respectable Indian chief.—Chicago News.

In case they fail to reach an agreement, France and Germany have China's permission to use Manchuria to fight in. But they will have to pay rent this time.—Los Angeles Express.

That proposal to reduce the tariff on Philippine goods looks decidedly dubious to some of the Senators, there being nothing to commend it save that it is right and that the people want it.—Chicago News.

The average American can very readily understand why Japan charges \$25,000,000 for feeding the Russian prisoners, if the Japs served any turkeys.—Kansas City Star.

Bismarck has more statues, perhaps, than any man who has ever lived. There are 204 of him in Germany and thirty-four more are to be built.—Nashville American.

A noble defender of women's rights was that Denver boy who killed himself rather than wash dishes.—Grass Valley Union.

NOBODY WORKS BUT FATHER.

The family wished to ornament Their high and cultured station, And every one save Pa professed A thirst for education.

Jack went to Pigskin institute, The other teams all licking, But somehow when it came to bills 'Twas Pa who did the kicking.

Clorinda went to cooking school Compounded grub amazing, But somehow when it came to dough 'Twas Pa who did the raising.

Tom to a business college went, Financial ways divining, But somehow when it came to checks 'Twas Pa who did the signing.

Kate took a high-toned boarding school Sharp angles to diminish, But somehow after she came out 'Twas Pa who saw his finish.

And Pa? He's plodding right along And hasn't got much knowledge, In fact his standing is but this— A senior in life's college.

—New York Sun.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

"It seems Gailey and his family have skipped town. What was responsible for their disappearance, do you know?"

"Trying to keep up appearances, I believe."—Philadelphia Press.

"Your father thinks you'd make an engineer, eh?"

"Yes, sir."

"Know anything about bridge work?"

"Yes, sir. I won \$7 at it last night."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Obviously," said the lecturer, "what we need is a more elastic currency, for the reason—"

"Not me," interrupted the shabby man in the front row. "What I need is a more adhesive currency."

Whereat there was loud applause.

It appeared there were others.—Chicago Tribune.

Lawson—Bjones always thinks before he speaks, doesn't he?

Dawson—Yes, but then he doesn't always say what he thinks.

Somerville Journal.

A Doctor's Medicine

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is not a simple cough syrup. It is a strong medicine, a doctor's medicine. It cures hard cases, severe and desperate cases. Especially good in bronchitis, pleurisy, consumption. Ask your doctor all about this. We have no secret! We publish the formula of all our medicines.

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"HELLO GIRL" IS GIVEN TOO LITTLE CONSIDERATION

BY BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

Our telephone manners need mending sadly.

The impatience shown by the majority of people when talking over the telephone is shocking.

We are angry if the operator does not answer the moment we ring.

The fact that she has dozens of other calls to answer never seems to strike us.

So we ring again and want to know "What is the matter, Central?" in a tone of impatience we would not dare use if we were not separated by a good distance from the person we were speaking to.

And if the person we call up does not answer at once we fume and fret and do a great deal of unnecessary grumbling.

We should remember that the telephone operators are busy from morning until night.

All day long they must be kind and pleasant, and never answer back the individualities that are flung at them.

The nervous strain of the "hello" girl's life must be great.

She must be always on the alert.

I know one young woman who runs the switchboard in a great business concern.

From the least office boy to the heads of the concern, every man respects and admires her.

WASP IN DEADON'S HAT UPSETS THIS WEDDING

SLAB CITY, Vt., Jan. 23.—Deacon the melodian and the wedding party entered.

The parson had asked the usual questions and was about to pronounce the couple man and wife when the groom emitted a sharp cry of pain and clapped his hand to his head. Almost instantly he yelled a second time, jabbed his eye and began to dance a horn-pipe. The blushing bride turned pale and started to weep; the guests fledged in their chairs and the parson looked amazed.

Just then the deacon leaped out of his chair and running his hand up his trouser leg to the top of his boot pirouetted in a circle and losing his balance came down flat on the floor.

"Wasps!" he shouted, withdrawing his hand and holding up a crushed insect in his trembling finger.

Every one was on his feet in an instant. Women held their skirts close and fanned the air with their handkerchiefs. The bridegroom danced about in a circle tearing at his hair, and the bride gathered her veil closely about her face. The wasps, about twenty in number, buzzed here and there, their flight marked by hysterical shouts from the feminine guests. Then, clinging slowly they made a bee line for the deacon's beaver.

Inside the hat, neatly glued to the roof, was a small conical wasp's nest and into it the insects finally crawled one by one. When they had all got home the deacon immersed the hat in a tub of water and the interrupted wedding went on. At the reception the bridegroom couldn't see out of his left eye and several of the guests suffered in divers parts of their anapyses.

GETS \$250,000 FOR AIDING AN OLD MAN

OPNEVA, Switzerland, Jan. 23.—Mile. A. Burch, of Obwald, in the Canton of Unterwald, has become one of the richest heiresses in Switzerland owing to the generosity of an Englishman.

According to a local paper, which does not give the name of the benefactor, Mile. Burch was waiting in a large crowd before Buckingham Palace in 1888 to see the queen, when an old gentleman, overcome by the heat, fainted near her and fell on the footpath.

The Swiss girl tended him, and accompanied him home in a cab. He thanked her for her attentions, and asked her for her card before she went away. Some months later she returned to Switzerland and apparently the incident was forgotten.

A day or two ago she received a letter from a London solicitor informing her that the old gentleman whom she had aided had died, leaving her a fortune of \$250,000.

GIRL'S POEM SAVES COLLEGE FROM RUIN

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 23.—A girl's poem has saved the Pennsylvania College for women at the eleventh hour. The college had to complete the raising of an endowment fund of \$150,000, but \$27,000 of the fund was lacking, and the case seemed hopeless.

Then an inspiration came to Minnie Ourey Roberts, a student of the college, and she dashed off a poem, entitled, "Can't You Send a Check Today?" and secured its publication in all the Pittsburgh papers. Its last stanza runs:

For the sake of Pittsburgh, yes, I am hopeful, I confess;

Think the good old loyal town's a-going to turn its college down?

No, it ain't; I know it well; it's just waited like a spell—

If the help ain't on the way, just you send your check today!

The poem went straight to its mark—the pockets of all friends of the college—and tonight assurances have been given that every dollar necessary to save the college will be forthcoming by the time the day of grace expires.

CLUBS ACTIVE IN SOCIETY AFFAIRS

Ebell, Oakland and Other Clubs Make Interesting Announcements.

Tomorrow will be an open day at the Oakland Club, and the members and their guests will hear a talk on the "New Literary Criticism," by Charles J. Woodbury. Mr. Woodbury will tell how to read a book, how to criticize and the effect of good reading.

Mrs. S. M. Dodge will be presiding hostess and will be assisted by a number of club women.

The receiving party will include Mrs. Dodge, Mrs. F. H. Dorsaz, Mrs. F. R. Chadwick, Miss Theresa Rousseau, Mrs. Theodore Westphal, Mrs. E. S. Shanklin, Mrs. George Humphrey, Mrs. W. H. Hynes.

BRIDGE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Lackie entertained last Friday evening at an enjoyable bridge party given at their home on Hillsdale avenue. The guests were members of a card club, and included Mr. and Mrs. F. T. McHenry.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Waldrup, Mr. and Mrs. Varney Gaskill, Mr. and Mrs. Mallier Scarles, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hadenfeldt, Mrs. J. T. Barracough, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hume, Mr. and Mrs. David James, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Carr, Miss Barracough and Mr. and Mrs. Lackie.

SKATING PARTY.

Last evening a merry crowd enjoyed the skating at the new rink. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Humphrey, Dr. and Mrs. McMath, Dr. and Mrs. William Schwaner, Miss Yorke, Misses Nelson, Mrs. A. R. Dabney, Miss Clara Dabney, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Davis, Miss Lucreia Burnham, Dr. Percy Gaskill, and several others.

CHURCH WEDDING.

Miss Louise C. Friar, of Alameda, is to become the wife of Charles C. White at Christ's Church tomorrow evening, the Rev. W. N. Guthrie officiating.

The bride's sister, Miss Isabel, will be maid of honor, while Miss Ethel Miller and Miss Mable Bacon will attend as bridesmaids.

W. P. White of Oakland will support the groom, and little Norah Legard will sprinkle flowers before the bridal party.

The pretty little church has been beautifully decorated, and everything points to a very picturesque wedding.

The bride's gown is to be of white messaline satin, and her veil is a family heirloom over one hundred years old.

Miss Isabel Friar will appear in white India silk and the bridesmaids will carry out the color scheme in pink.

A reception to which only relatives and a few intimate friends are bidden is to be held later at the Friar residence.

After a brief honeymoon trip through Southern California the couple are to reside in San Francisco.

A WEDDING.

One of the events of the week will be the marriage of Miss Katherine Bunker and Leslie Hedger, which is to be solemnized Thursday evening at the First Unitarian Church, across the bay. Miss Lucy Cormack will attend the bride as maid of honor, and Harry Hedger will act as best man for his brother. The ushers include William Kingwell, Benjamin Allen, Dr. Sumner Hardy and Arlon Kalenborn.

DANCING PARTIES.

The series of Greenway cotillions begins tonight, and the ball room at the Palace will be beautifully decorated. A large attendance and a gay time is anticipated.

The popular officers of the Presidio post will give their next hop on the evening of January 31.

PRELUDE CLUB.

The concert given Saturday evening by the young members of the Prelude Club was a decided success, and the musical program was a treat for the fortunate guests. After an excellent series of violin, piano and vocal numbers, dancing was enjoyed.

The participants were Misses Mildred Porter, Anna Woodbridge, Hazel Shay, Ramona Rollins, Ramona Radcliffe, Zoo Brodgett, Sydney Miller, Virginia Pinkerton, Jean Baker, Ruth Everson, Irene O'Connor and others.

MUSICAL EVENING.

Miss Grace Rollins, the well-known pianist, is to play next Thursday evening at a Mozart musicale to be given at Lyric Hall. Miss Rollins is the gifted Oakland girl who has earned a reputation as one of the leading pianists and organists of the day.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement is announced of Miss Clara Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Walton, and Lester



MISS PHEBE BINNEY, chairman of the reception committee for the masquerade Friday evening at Hearst Hall.

Miss Lily Wright, Miss Charlotte Waters, Miss Frances Sanborn, Finance—Miss Miriam Edwards, chairman; Miss Marion Schneider, Miss Blanche Hale, Miss Eleanor Mel, Miss Dora Willard, Miss Edith Rickley, Miss Helen Eschenberg, Miss Eva McClure, Miss Alice Southworth, Miss Lillian Williams. Refreshments—Miss Adela Wilkoff, chairman; Miss Anna Barney, Miss Gladys Hughes, Miss Mabel Reed, Miss K. Dougles. Posters—Miss Mabel Reed, Miss K. Dougles. Posters—Miss Carol Sremen.

EBELL CLUB.

Ebell wishes to announce that the appearance of Madame Barry next Monday evening is particularly a public affair, and not only are the Ebell members and their husbands invited, but all the people interested in the artistic interpretation of the great masterpiece, "Monna Vanna," from the pen of Maurice Maeterlinck.

Madame Barry has met with great enthusiasm among the cultured people of the West, and Monday evening the gathering at Ebell will represent those interested in art of the true type.

The audience will include nearly all the prominent society people of this city, and many from across the bay.

CLUBS TO RECEIVE.

The Palette, Lyre and Pen Club and the Nile Club will give a joint reception Friday evening to Jerome K. Jerome and Charles Battell Loomis at the Nile Club rooms on Broadway.

Prominent people from both sides of the bay are included in the guest list. Clarence Crowell is president of the Nile Club, and with the enterprising members of the P. L. P. Club as co-workers, the affair is sure to be a great success.

The hours are from 10 to 12 after the recital at Hamilton Auditorium.

WED AT 13, IS A GRANDMA AT 29

Daughter Followed Closely on the Footsteps of Her Young Mother.

NEW CENTURY CLUB.

Mrs. Robert Watt has invited W. Earl Flynn and Mrs. Louise McIntyre to lecture before the New Century Club. The club rooms are at Seventh and Peralta streets, and the Eighth street cars will take guests almost to the door.

A MASQUERADE.

The women students of the university, included in the Sports and Pastimes Association, will hold a masquerade on Friday evening at Hearst Hall. The proceeds will be used to purchase boats for the use of the Women's Boat Club. The affair will be for the women alone, and an enjoyable evening is in prospect.

The following are in charge of the affair: Program—Miss Hazel Lyons, chairman; Miss Aura Lee, Miss Cornelia Stratton, Miss Frances Hughes, Miss Marion Craig, Miss Ivy Jo Johnson, Miss Maude Cleveland. Reception—Miss Phebe Binney, chairman; Miss Mabel Mattoon, Miss Reba Galvin,

ONE WIFE SELLS GRAVE OF HER HUSBAND TO ANOTHER

DES MOINES, Jan. 20.—The grave

of V. J. Dubois, the bigamist, has been sold by a woman who had called him husband to another woman whose claim as the wife of the same man has been legally substantiated. The grave and the lot in which it was located passed for \$10 from the hands of Mrs.

Dubois, of Des Moines, to Mrs. Dubois, of Denver. With it goes a claim to the grave of the prominent Des Moines contractor who was found to have three wives.

E. T. Dubois was well known in this city. He came here and established himself in business, obtained a number of contracts with the city and did well. His death came after being here for a year, and with it the discovery that he had three wives, one in Denver, one in New Orleans and one in Des Moines.

With all three women weeping over

the grave, the entanglement of his estate was foreseen. Mrs. V. J. Dubois, who had married the wealthy contractor and lived with him here, firmly believed the other women imposters.

She bought a lot in Woodland cemetery and had the husband buried there. The possession of the grave remained with her until the courts decided that the legal rights to the name and estate of the dead bigamist rested in Mrs.

Mary Dubois, of Denver.

NOISES IN HALLS DAY AND NIGHT.

"Within a few days after I went into possession, however," says Mr. Ellison. "I became greatly disturbed and annoyed by the conduct of many of the

marked attention that in the fall she

and her husband were divorced, she marrying Clasby a few days later. The newly wedded couple moved nearer this place and began housekeeping.

Wrenn soon tired of single blessedness and went to the home of Clasby and made satisfactory arrangements to live with him. Ordinarily

the situation would be rather embarrassing, but Mrs. Clasby seems to be getting along nicely with her present

and her former husbands. These con-

ditions have existed for the last eight

NEGRESS, OLDER THAN UNCLE SAM, IS DEAD

An Inveterate Pipe Smoker for Half a Century

Born More Than 135 Years Ago—Recalls Valley Forge.



PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Mary McDonald, a negress, when she died a few days ago at the Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons Forty-fourth street and Girard avenue, was older than the United States.

The nation that declared itself one of the national governments of the world in 1776 is now about 130 years of age, yet when this historic declaration was made Mrs. McDonald had already traveled past five of life's milestones.

Born in Frogtown, near Valley Forge, November 14, 1776, the aged negro was more than 135 years old at her death, and this remarkable record for longevity places her indisputably among the oldest persons in the world.

Although but a slip of a girl, she remembered the more important events of the winter of 1777-78 at Valley Forge. She once described some of the sufferings of the encampment to a Daughter of the Revolution, who convinced that living eyes had witnessed so historic an event, searched among dusty records for confirmation. Her research brought to light date which proved the truth of Mrs. McDonald's stories.

An inveterate smoker during the last half century of her life, the first intimation that officials of the home had of "Granny's" approaching end came two days before her death. She had packed up her faithful pipe for after-dinner smoke, but laid it aside after a few draughts.

"Ah can't smoke it enny more," she said in a weak voice. Until this time she had maintained her vitality, and her sunny disposition was ever a source of pleasure at the home. After the failure of her pipe to bring solace, however, the end came rapidly.

NOISES OF HARLEM FLAT BRING LANDLORD TO COURT

THESE ARE THE NOISES THAT ELLISON SAYS DROVE HIM TO BRING SUIT

Slamming and banging of the front door. Shouting up the tubes in the hall. Loud talking of late returning tenants. Ceaseless running up and down the halls. Ellison had the front flat on the ground floor. He was told the house was quiet.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Can the noises of a Harlem flat be made a proper subject for discourse in a courtroom?

Can a man collect \$5000 damages against the landlord because through them his peace and quiet have been all but shattered, especially when the said tenant lives on the ground floor, has the front apartment and catches the noises "goin' and comin'."</p

THE TRIBUNE'S PAGE OF SPORTING NEWS

WRITTEN BY EXPERTS AND EDITED BY EDDIE SMITH

NOT ALL OF 'EM ARE LIKE OUR JACK O'BRIEN

HAGEN-O'BRIEN flowed as smoothly as the limpid sentences in a Mills Handy Letter-Writer.

"As to Byron," he remarked dreamily, "I have always loved the master mind that created 'The Corsair,' 'The Giaour,' and 'The Face on the Bar-room Floor.' To me he seems the essence of virility, a splendid soul crying out against its smug surroundings. As I was telling Jimmy Britt last night, not even Shakespeare had him faded."

"What do you think of Omar Kayyam?" I ventured.

"Mr. Kayyam," he muttered half to himself, "seems to me the very incarnation of that mystic Orientalism which tingles in the blood of the Buddhist adepts, which, like vaulting ambition, overleaps itself and falls through the ropes onto the hands of the sporting editors. Was it not he who said: 'For some we loved, the greatest and the best?'

That ever mixed it in a Swatting Fest,

Have been insulted by a Waldorf clerk And, in some gin mill, lain them down to Rest?

VALET PRAISES HIS MASTER.

"Ay tank Maester Marvin Hart ban party guide fighter, tu," asserted the Scandinavian valet.

Hagen-O'Brien seemed a bit annoyed at the interruption.

"Mortimer's a good soul," he assured me, "but his intellect is not at present attuned to ours. Do you not find it so with your valet?"

With shame choking my utterance, I confessed that I had no servant.

"Too bad, too bad. A valet is, in the words of the ancient Roman philosopher, indispensable to all true geniuses. As Cicero once said, 'Valeribus est nix vomica et cum aurora borealis.'

I dress myself," I told him, beginning to feel a bit nattied.

"So do I," declared Mr. O'Brien-Hagen. "But supposing your suspenders should break, Mortimer fixed mine yesterday with a nail."

unable to answer the argument, and noting the graceful wave of his hand that signified the end of the interview, I backed out with what little dignity I could summon.

"Gudaby, Maester newspaper faller," chuckled Mortimer.

That interview will long be remembered by me. The language of Mr.

SUPERVISORS HAND OVER PERMITS TO NEW COMBINE

Although it had become known, as announced in THE TRIBUNE, that Jimmy Coffroth was engineering a scheme to control all the big fighters of the country for a grand carnival at San Francisco and that Coffroth, Levy, Graney and Britt had formed a combination to secure all the year's permits in furtherance of this plan, the first move of the allied promoters in the open was made yesterday.

The prize-fight trust sprang into existence yesterday afternoon, when the Board of Supervisors adopted the resolution framed by the police committee and granted permits to the Associated Athletic Club to give professional contests in this city during the year. The Associated Athletic Club consists of James W. Coffroth, Edward M. Graney, William F. Britt and Morris Levy, and thereafter these men will be the power behind the throne and no one else can enter.

It is a strong combination, and there is no chance for an outsider to beat it now. The prime movers have been framing it up for a long time, and last Saturday they incorporated the new association in the County Clerk's office. They had the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors all lined up with them, so the rest was easy and the deal was put through without a hitch.

BRITT TO PROMOTE.

It was known all along that Coffroth, Graney and Levy would get theirs, but the fourth man in the running was not mentioned along the line for a certainty. Now it comes to light that Willis Brittanay permits whenever they see fit, and to be a real live promoter, that Alex J. Graggs is out of the running and that any shady looking scraps.

PLAY ELEVEN INNINGS; NOT A RUN IS MADE

BY BARNEY EDES.

The varsity nine of St. Mary's College and the All-Stars met Sunday in the finest game seen on the college campus in years. Darkness intervened after eleven innings, with the score reading even up at the zero point.

The game was sensational in every respect, barring perhaps batting. It was the occasion of the last Sunday appearance of Phoenix preparatory to the intercollegiate series to be opened next Saturday against Stanford. McGregor, the young freshman, twirled truly phenomenal ball against this strong aggregation.

But three scattered hits were made off his mystifying assortment and seventeen of Oakland's nine were compelled to surrender after two strikes. Without detriment from the young collegian's performance it must be acknowledged that Hopkins was equally effective. Two hits were registered against him and he fatted ten.

Aside from the pitchers, as the score fully attests their merits, the fielding of both nines was sensational. But two dinky errors marred the entire performance.

The infield work especially was clean cut and brilliant. Joe Joyce, the clever little shortstop for the college, was the particular star in this bright firmament. He accepted eight difficult chances and his error was a trifling one, caused by a slow throw to first. Another fact worthy of note was that during the melee but two men, one from each side, reached the third sack.

The game demonstrated that the Phoenix nine are in fine fettle to de-

CHARLIE DUNN AND HENRY LOAUGE MAIN EVENT FOR RELIANCE CLUB

TWENTY-FOUR ROUNDS OF BOXING ON CARDS



FIRST PUBLIC FIGHTING SHOW

The Reliance Club has set Friday, February 2, as the date for the holding of the first public boxing entertainment at the cigarrooms. The card to be presented will be a particularly strong one, and from the care that has been taken in making the matches there will no doubt be at least twenty-four hot rounds of scrapping.

The main event between Henry Loauge, the hard-hitting Oakland boy, and iron man Charlie Dunn of San Francisco gives promise of being the best four-round contest, he is on this of the day. It has been a difficult thing to get a man to meet the Oakland boy, as most of the amateur lightweight know that he possesses a terrible punch in either hand, have been sidestepping him for a long time. The minute that one of them is approached on the subject of a match with Loauge they immediately have another engagement to fill.

In Dunn, however, the Oakland boy will find a hard nut. He is of the Battling Nelson type, born in from the time that the gong rings. In fact, where he has done most of his fighting, the saying is that to put Dunn in the ring means that there will be a good fight, as he is aggressive, strong and has a good punch.

In his last match with Bob Lundie he gave Nelson's ex-sparring partner the fight of his life, and all but knocked him out in the fourth round. In fact, it was the consensus of opinion that had he fought more carefully he would have won.

The special event between Young Gauly and J. Jones gives promise of also being a good contest. These young boxers met once before, but both had done no training since the four rounds ended with both very tired but honors. Gauly has been anxious to get another try at Jones since that time, and promises to be in the very best condition for this contest.

Other cards will be judged by Al Young and Phil Ward of San Francisco, which means that there will be no trouble over the decisions.

PROPER TO PACK TOP WEIGHT IN THE HANDICAP

Handicapper Horace Egbert issued the weights for the Burns handicap yesterday. The classic event will be run on Saturday next at Oakland track over one and a quarter miles, and the starters will include the cream of the handicap division now facing across the bay and at Ascot Park.

Proper, the big Jennings horse, has been allotted top weight, 122 pounds. The Eastern mare, Eugene Burch, comes next with 120. Lubin, the St. Louis crack, is asked to pick up 119, as everybody supposed he would be. Bearcatcher has shown such disappointing form of late that 116 looks to be all that he is entitled to. Dr. Legro is in with 114. If Dr. Gardner, the Schreiber three-year-old, can handle 110 and win, it will stamp him as a horse far above the ordinary. Of the lightweights Red Leaf (100), the entry of Keene Bros., looks like the only one possessing a chance.

It is the association's object to have the "Burns" a test between the best horses in training on the coast. For this reason President Williams instructed Handicapper Egbert to take no chances of misfiring in any self-sacrifice plater. Following are the entries and weights:

Proprietary, 112; Eugene Burch, 120; Lubin, 119; Claude, 118; W. R. Condon, 117; Bearcatcher, 116; Dr. Legro, 114; San Nicolas, 114; Boniface, 113; Brancas, 112; Andrew B. Cook, 112; Reservation, 111; Elliott, 110; Orchas, 110; Flying Torpedo, 110; Luckast, 110; Horatus, 110; Deutschland, 110; Otto Stoffel, 110; Dr. Gard-

ner, 110; Wye In, 110; Examiner, 109; Waterdog, 109; Grizzly, 109; The Goldfinch, 109; Callaghan, 109; Jake Sanders, 109; Whisk King, 109; Toclaw, 109; Soutiere, 109; Corrigan, 108; True Wing, 108; Bragg, 108; Andrew Mack, 108; Ginette, 108; Circus, 107; Glisten, 107; Rockaway, 107; Neva Lee, 107; Matador, 107; Stone Arabia, 107; Rightful, 107; Dekaber, 107; El Otros, 107; D'Arkle, 107; Veterano, 107; Workman, 106; Bill Curtis, 106; Blue Eyes, 106; Lord Badge, 106; Corn Blossom, 106; Judge, 106; Sir Bristol, 106; Beknifster, 106; Preses, 106; Gloomie, 106; Requier, 106; Merry Boy, 106; Divina, 106; Felipe, 106; Lady Goodrich, 106; Silo, 106; Billie, 106; Warte, Nicht, 106; Theodore L, 105; Invoice, 105; Muskoday, 105; Ray, 105; Sunny Shore, 105; Wyefield, 105; F. E. Shaw, 105; Gorgalite, 105; Rose Eley, 105; Hugh McGowan, 105; Scotch Thistle, 105; Celeres, 105; Martimmas, 105; Peuthesles, 105; Nabonassar, 105; Epicure, 104; Ed Sheridan, 104; Nealon, 104; W. B. Gates, 104; San Primo, 104; Magrane, 104; Head Dance, 104; Nigretta, 104; Hooken, 104; Briers, 103; Conde-terate, 103; Chanel Walworth, 102; Salable, 102; Anglia, 102; Old Blas, 102; Trapster, 102; Gator Times, 102; Max Lichtenstein, 102; Nagazam, 102; Dorado, 102; Jilliette, 100; Daring, 100; St. Joseph, 100; La Chata, 100; Youth 100; Bannock Bell, 100; Red Leaf, 100; Geranium, 100; Akela, 100; Memories, 100; W. H. Carey, 100.

LAD MAY DIE AS RESULT OF FIERCE BOXING BOUT

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—In a coma from which it had been impossible to arouse him early today, the another victim of the mushroom boxing clubs which give contests between mere boys. He is in the Sentry Hospital, Brooklyn, and is Lawrence Tight, 16 years old, of 272 Bond street, Brooklyn. After surgeons had worked for hours over the boy, Dr. William Ellis, head of the hospital staff, said his condition was such that the outcome might be fatal.

Tighe crumpled up and as he fell his opponent drove hard to his jaw. Tighe's seconds could not revive him and he was taken from the ring unconscious. After a physician had failed to revive him the boy was removed to the hospital.

Plagmann, '08; H. Ryne, '07; R. Cee, '08; Third base—C. E. Naylor, '08; K. L. Fenton, '08; W. P. Kelly, '07; M. Moriarity, '06.

Outfielders—D. M. Davis, '07; W. W. Helm, '07; W. E. Kenner, '06; W. W. Wirt, '06; J. F. Cole, '06; B. S. Morrison, '07; E. A. Miller, '06; W. H. Sibley, '08; V. K. Miller, '06; E. G. Duder, '06; C. C. McQuaid, '08; I. D. Gibson, '06; G. H. McLean, '07; C. Moser, '08; E. A. Rogers, '09; C. Owen, '08; R. Topp, '07; G. McGregor, '09; I. W. Alexander, '09; H. T. Dennis, '09.

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BASEBALL SEASON IS OPENED AT STANFORD

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 23.—The baseball season at Stanford University was opened yesterday. James F. Lanagan, head coach, addressed the candidates at a meeting and clearly and definitely announced his policy and stated what obstacles the cardinal had to over-

come and what was expected of the men.

Lanagan said:

"An object lesson this year is to get together nine men who will play better ball than California. We are to proceed on a different basis than that pursued in football. At the beginning of the season we do not consider that any team exists, and the novice stands as good a show of making the varsity as the veterans of last year's team. To know baseball a man must have played the game from the time he was seven years old, for it is impossible for a man to learn the game in a season. Therefore the man of last year's team will be given first place until a candidate proves himself to be the better or it is evident that the veterans are not giving their best efforts."

The heavy dagger is to be the man for winning this season, no matter if he mugs the ball out of every three chances.

A sure hitter, whether he can field or not, will be given preference over a fielder who steps away from the ball every time he comes up to bat. The number to sign the training rules was forty-six in all. The names are as follows:

Catchers—C. E. Stager, '07; E. P. Stott, '06; C. E. Spaulding, '06; H. P. Daily, '07.

Pitchers—D. Sales, '06; H. B. Menard, '05; W. F. Thiele, '06; L. Goodell, '06; R. C. Whitmer, '06.

First basemen—Calmers, '07; S. M. Salisbury, '07; J. Maloy, '08; G. J. Presley, '07; S. Moulton, '08.

Second base—T. R. Caldwell, '08; H. Bell, '08; S. W. Woodbury, '08; H. A. Stowe, '08.

Shortstop—E. E. Sampson, '09; R. D.

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WOULD IMPROVE STREETS

Latham Terrace Improvement Club Holds a Meeting.

Forty people, members of the Latham Terrace Improvement Club of Fruitvale district, and others, including Theodore Gier and Dr. Frank Adams as two of a committee of three appointed for the purpose by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, gathered at the home of Colonel J. C. McMullen, president of the State Savings Bank, on Twenty-seventh avenue and Orange street, last evening to discuss the matter of the proposed annexation of Fruitvale district to Oakland.

As a result of the meeting and very general discussion of the subject, a committee was appointed, consisting of members from both the Improvement Club and the Chamber of Commerce, and the following resolutions were adopted:

STREET IMPROVEMENT.

"Whereas, it is generally conceded that Santa Clara Valley is one of the richest in the world, and capable of sustaining a very thickly settled population; and

"Whereas, Oakland, on account of its central location would naturally secure the major part of the trade and business of this valley; and

"Whereas, the road easterly from the City of Oakland has been placed in first-class condition by the supervisors of Santa Clara county, and those of Alameda county, therefore,

Resolved, That the Mayor and Council of the City of Oakland are hereby petitioned and respectfully requested to at once put in distinctive condition the streets in the greater part of Oakland to Broadway, and to make the gateway and only exit to the rich and fertile valley bring out of said city.

"It is generally conceded by all parties concerned over the road leading from the eastern part of Oakland proper to Broadway is dangerous, dangerous and very undesirable to travel over, and we, as an organization, believe the roadway just in proper condition to receive the traffic which will come to Oakland when all sources combined, so far as the country is concerned, as northern, we are necessarily cut off by the City of Berkeley, or the south and west, we are surrounded by water and the City of Alameda, our great revenue

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German Eiderdown, 20c Sateen Finish Print: values for ... 14c Norman De Saison Chal-

3c Sateen for ... 19c

must necessarily come from Santa Clara County and counties adjacent thereto. "We wish as an organization, to very emphatically protest against the fact that the street is at the present time in a very bad condition and needs the earnest consideration of the Council of the City of Oakland."

ALSO CENTRAL AVENUE.

"Whereas, The street known as Central Avenue, leading from East Twenty-seventh street to Hopkins street, is a very bad condition, practically impossible at this time; and

"Whereas, There is some doubt whether or not this street was ever accepted by the county, therefore,

Resolved, That the Supervisors of Alameda county are hereby requested to at once take the necessary steps for the acceptance of this street, and put the same in a suitable condition for as the county is concerned, as northern, we are necessarily cut off by the City of Berkeley, or the south and west, we are surrounded by water and the City of Alameda, our great revenue

The committeemen appointed were:

From the Chamber of Commerce—Messrs. Gier and Dr. Adams; from the club—R. V. Campbell, manager of the sash and door department of N. B. Fuller & Co. of Twelfth street; N. B. Clough, salesmen for the Grand Piano Company, of Oakland; D. P. Barnett, builder; A. C. Evans, drummer for a wholesale grocery house of San Francisco, and Thomas Butler, the harness-maker.

These committeemen, working together, are to issue a circular to the residents in the whole of the Fruitvale district, setting forth the arguments in favor of the annexation or incorporation of Fruitvale district into the city of Oakland.

Just how much territory it may finally be determined to include in the propositions of the circular is perhaps not yet fully determined, but it will certainly be as much as the Fruitvale district, and there was very strong sentiment in the meeting, last evening in favor of including Berkeley, Alameda and territory along the bay shore down to San Leandro creek in the city and county of greater Oakland.

Colonel McMullen gave an instance of one corporation, of Cleveland, Ohio, which he knew had decided not to remove to Oakland, solely on the ground that it was not a large enough city, having, as it understood, but 80,000 population, whereas it wished to locate, for business reasons, in a city of at least 150,000, and this as much as anything had set him to thinking of the desirability of a greater city, and had inspired the present meeting. That corporation manufactured asphalt brick.

IS IN FAVOR.

Mr. Gier said he was thoroughly in favor of the movement for better streets in Oakland since the county roads were better than the city streets, and were sufficient to attract that trade for the city which the city streets repelled.

President Adams of the Chamber of Commerce, said he could pledge the improvement club the hearty support of the Chamber of Commerce in the effort of the club for the incorporation of at least the Fruitvale district into the city of Oakland.

Ex-Councilman Wallace, who was present, said he could promise an equally hearty support on his part.

CHARLES F. LEE.

Charles F. Lee, the Fruitvale real estate dealer, being called upon to express his views, said he was somewhat surprised to be called upon as he had been informed beforehand that all he would be expected to do was to sit still and listen. He said he must confess that he was one of the residents and business men of Fruitvale, who were not in favor of annexation or incorporation, but, perhaps, he could do some good in the measure by representing in some degree the views of those who were opposed. He said if the people of Fruitvale were opposed to annexation to Oakland it was in some degree because the rich men of the section had taught them to be. It was the rich ones among them who were the backbone of whatever opposition there was. They were opposed because, as everyone knew, their taxes were less without incorporation. They were opposed because they got better road improvements from the county without special cost to themselves than the residents of the city did at a much greater expense. They were opposed because they were not opposed to a greater Oakland.

The people of Fruitvale district were generally in favor of some sort of incorporation, he thought; and he did not think they would object to that if it were between the present limits of Oakland and Sausal creek being taken into Oakland. But, as he had said, the proposition to take in any more would find certain objections in the people to be met, and the people generally had been educated in those objections by the richer men in Fruitvale district.

Colonel McMullen presided over the meeting, which was in every respect a pleasant one, showing much enterprise and energy in the work in hand.

NOVELTY THEATER.

At the Novelty Theater this week they have a program that will surely please the most fastidious, for it is composed of almost everything that it is possible to see in any vaudeville show. The two big features on this week's bill are "The Marvelous Melville," and he surely is marvelous with his most startling aerial act, and Gregory's Royal Italian Banda Rossa from the late Portland Exposition, that please immensely with a varied program of popular and classic selections. These gifted musicians, twenty in number, are treated in themselves and their music is well worth the price of admission alone. Edward DoMoss, a singing comedian, renders some comic songs in most excellent voice and makes a signal hit with the audience. Billy Morton is back face with his funny monologue and pantomime makes merriment for fifteen minutes to the delight of his hearers. Marquis and Lynn offer an act that is entirely new to the vaudeville stage, in which they introduce "The Dancing Violinists" that takes immensely. The new reels of moving pictures are highly interesting and are both the comic and sensational variety. The Novelty, with such a worthy show, bids fair to do an immense business this week. Band con-

TEMPERATURE DROPS.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 23.—The temperature registered 15 degrees above zero this morning. A light snow fell early today, but ceased at dawn. The Weather Bureau forecasts that no more snow will fall today, but that there will be a drop in temperature.

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STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—The stock report to noon today was as follows:

| COMSTOCK FORMAL | |
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| 500 Gold & Curry | 18 |
| 200 Hale & Norcross | 89 |
| 100 Julia | 69 |
| 150 Opal | 65 |
| 100 do | 6125 |
| 200 Project | 41 |
| 100 Savage | 44 |
| 1100 do | 45 |
| 100 Stern Nevada | 38 |
| 200 Union Con. | 53 |
| 200 Yellow Jacket | 10 |

COMSTOCK INFORMAL

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|--------------------------|-----|
| 100 Belcher | 15 |
| 100 do | 16 |
| 100 Con. Virginia M. Co. | 125 |
| 100 Gold & Curry | 18 |
| 100 Mexican | 125 |
| 100 Opal | 125 |
| 100 do | 60 |
| 200 Savage | 45 |

STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Sutro & Co., 32 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

16:30 a. m. session, January 23, 1906.

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

Bid Asked.

| Cal Gas and Electric Gen. M. & C. T. Co. | |
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| Contra Costa W. Co. | 885 99 |
| Los Angeles-Pacific of Cal. | 1054 |
| Pfd. | 110 |
| Market Street Railway, First | — |
| Northern Cal. P. Co. | 1054 |
| Oakland Trans. | 1124 |
| Oakland Transit Co. | 111 |
| Oakland Water Co. Old | 884 |
| Pacific Elec. & G. Co. | 1054 |
| Seattle Elec. & G. Co. | 1075 |
| S. P. E. R. of Ariz. | 900 00 |
| United R. R. of S. F. | 883 |

WATER STOCKS

Bid Asked.

| Contra Costa | |
|-------------------------|-----|
| Spring Valley Water Co. | 40% |

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.

Bid Asked.

| Mutual Electric Light Co. | |
|---------------------------|---------|
| BANK STOCKS | 134 184 |

POWDER STOCKS.

Bid Asked.

GIANT.

Bid Asked.

SUGAR STOCKS.

Bid Asked.

Haw. Com. & Sugar Co.

Honolulu Sugar Co.

Hutchinson's Plantation Co.

Macauan Sugar Co.

Oceanic Plantation Co.

Oceanic Sugar Co. Pool

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Bid Asked.

Alaska Packers' Association

Cal. Fruit Canners' Assn.

Cal. Wine Association

Oceanic Steamship Co.

Pacific States Tel. & Tel. Co.

SALES.

Bid Asked.

Oakland Water

100 Fruit Growers

100 H. C. Sugar

100 Telephone

10 Telephone

40 Contra Costa

5 Giant

50 Alaska Packers' Association

100 H. C. Steamer Steamship Co.

25 Mutual

25 Mutual

300 Macauan

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L. & N.

N. Y. Central

Southern Pac.

Wabash

Smelters

Reading

T. C. I.

Rhode Island

Canadian Pac.

B. & L.

Lead

Erie

Sugar

Copper

Steel Com.

Steel Pd.

Gas

Leather

Metropolitan

Coal

Fuel

Bronx

Pennsylvania

Atch. Com.

Am. Automobile

Missouri Pac.

BEGIN SURVEYING

PETALUMA LINE

PETALUMA, Jan. 23.—Surveyors have commenced work on the new electric road which is to run direct from this city to Santa Rosa, avoiding the last of time involved in the roundabout route by way of Sebastopol. Surveyors have been completed as far as Storer Point, where the new line will make its first change of course. The work is to be rapidly pushed, and the possibilities of rapid communication between the two cities will, it is believed, help to create a boom in property along the line.

SUE FOR STOCK KILLED BY GASES

BENICIA, Jan. 23.—W. H. Chickerling, of San Francisco, representing the Selby Smelting and Lead Company, has taken the deposition of E. M. Billings, of this city, who has instituted a suit against the company for damages aggregating \$1450 for loss of live stock, which he alleges was caused by the poison gases from their smelter. The farmers of Benicia and Glencooe districts have organized and filed similar suits, which amount to \$100,000.

SA FRANCISCO MAN FOR VICE-GOVERNOR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The President has sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Emassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary—Luke E. Wright, Tennessee, to Japan; David E. Thompson, Nebraska, to England; Lloyd C. Griscom, Pennsylvania, to Brazil.

Governor-General to the Philippines Islands—Henry Clay Ide, Vermont.

Vice-Governor to the Philippines Islands—John Smith, Ontario.

Assistant Attorney-General—Josiah A. Van Orsdel, Wyoming.

Receiver of Public Moneys—Oliver H. Robinson, at Los Angeles.

PROHIBITION ALLIANCE.

Rev. T. Birnbaum will address Oakland Prohibition Alliance this evening, at State headquarters, 1435 Broadway, at 7:45 o'clock.

On "Prohibition in Kansas." Mr. Birnbaum was one of the Kansas pioneer prohibitionists and spoke on the effects of the law from personal observation, besides presenting data secured from Kansas public records.

Mrs. Norwood, State chairman of the Women's Prohibition Club, will also be present and speak briefly. Mrs. Norwood is to hold a series of gospel pro-hibition meetings in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley during the next two weeks.

THE STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—The stock market to noon today was as follows:

MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 1906

DEEDS.

Sarah A. McKee (widow), to Charles B. Crane, lot 26, block 5, Santa Fe tract No. 5, Berkeley; \$10.

Charles B. and Edie E. Crane to John L. Steamer, 100 block 115 E Grove, lot 14, block 14, Berkeley; \$100.

Frank F. and Mary V. Dardar to Louis and Maria, tenement, 100 block 115 E Grove, lot 14, block 14, Berkeley; \$100.

John F. and Elsie Stewart to Narciso Gonzalez (widow), 100 block 115 E Grove, lot 14, block 14, Berkeley; \$100.

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Beautiful 9-room residence, just com-

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Rearrangement Expansion **SALE**

Another selling floor will soon be added to the DAVIS STORE. The fourth floor until now has been used as a stock-room, but before long will be one of the busiest sections of the store.

The departments of Ladies' Suits, Skirts and Coats, Girls' and Misses' Coats and Dresses are particularly interested.

Girls' Coats Greatly Reduced

We have something like 400 COATS to close out before moving to the new floor. These reductions should do the work quickly:

| | | | |
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| \$4.50 Coats for..... | \$1.50 | \$12.50 Coats go for..... | \$7.50 |
| (Small sizes only.) | | \$1.00 Coats go for..... | \$8.75 |
| \$6.50 Coats for..... | \$2.00 | \$22.50 Coats go for..... | \$14.50 |
| (Small sizes only.) | | \$25.00 Coats go for..... | \$18.50 |
| \$7.50 Coats for..... | \$3.00 | \$30.00 Coats go for..... | \$19.50 |
| \$10.00 Coats for..... | \$5.00 | | |

They are all late styles. The color variety is good. Reverses and three-quarter Coats predominate, with Cravettes (Ages 6, 8 and 10) a feature. \$3.00 Mackintoshes at \$1.60 also demand attention.

Children's Dresses at Half and Less

Practically every dress reduced. All sizes are represented fairly well in all materials and colors. Read carefully about the reductions:

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| \$3.00 Dresses for..... | \$1.65 | \$6.00 Dresses for..... | \$3.15 |
| \$5.00 Dresses for..... | \$2.50 | \$4.00 Dresses for..... | \$2.95 |

For the little tots—those from 1 to 3 years of age. On the third floor you will find a great variety; all late styles in woolen materials.

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| \$3.00 Dresses for..... | \$1.98 | \$5.00 Dresses for..... | \$3.95 |
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**JUDGE SAYS KISS YOSEMITE ROAD
AND MAKE UP**

TELLS COUPLE TO SETTLE DIFFERENCES FOR SAKE OF CHILDREN.

STOCKTON CITY COUNCIL IS ACQUAINTED WITH THE PLANS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—For the sake of their children, Judge Graham advised Mrs. Elise Lambert and her husband, Julius Lambert, to make up and live together again when their divorce suit was before him yesterday.

Lambert, who is a waiter in a French restaurant, said he was willing to do as suggested if his wife would end her acquaintance with William Rochow, a bartender in a saloon at Chestnut and Powell streets. The trouble began, the husband declared, when Rochow became a lodger in their house, 1552 Stockton street. Judge Graham told Rochow to keep away from Mrs. Lambert or he would get into trouble. The Judge tried to talk to the children, but they cried aloud and he made no progress. He continued the case for two months, and said that in the meantime he hoped the couple would live happily and bury their differences.

RAILWAY PLANS TO SPEND \$14,000,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The Delaware and Hudson Company announced last night that the proceeds of the forthcoming issue of \$14,000,000 of bonds by the company would be used for the following purposes: Ten million dollars for cost of the United Traction Company of Albany, N. Y., and a half interest in the Schenectady Railroad Company, \$2,400,000 for new equipment, \$1,000,000 for the construction of a cut-off around Wilkesbarre, Pa., to overcome the difficulties of congested tracks and high grades, which business received from the Pennsylvania Railroad at South Wilkesbarre is now being handled over.

SAYS HER PEACE WAS DISTURBED

S. Simon was arrested yesterday afternoon on the complaint of Mrs. Alvin Steffon of 1679 Seventh street, on a charge of disturbing the peace. Simon is alleged to have appeared before Mrs. Steffon in her apartment at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, and to have said he was looking for his husband. She said peace had been disturbed and appeared before Presiding Attorney Finch and swore out a warrant for his arrest.

MABLE'S AILMENT.

"Mable is attending the university, you know."

"Yes."

"Well, her mother happened to tell young Dr. Sagerman that she was a little weak in her ethiology. You can't guess what he said."

"No; what did he say?"

"He said he feared that an operation might be necessary." San Francisco Call.

It is time to look out when a thing will not bear looking into.

WOMAN ACCUSES ELOPER

Man Who Went Away With Little Girl Must Answer.

MARTINEZ, Jan. 23.—Mrs. C. P. Mayes, mother of Clara Mayes, the fourteen-year-old girl who eloped last Friday night from her home in Antioch with J. L. Langley, a carpenter, came to this place yesterday and swore to a warrant charging Langley with a felony. The much-wanted man, who is now in jail in Oregon, will be returned to this city for trial. From the general indignation which reigns in the little cities along the bay shore in Contra Costa county it is feared that all will not go well with the man who so boldly emulated the now notorious Henry Logan, the Oakland church trustee, who ran away to Oregon with little Ethel Cook not long ago.

Langley was arrested while attempting to shoot himself.

For many weeks past Langley had been causing the child he stole to make his bride. His persistent manner of paying attention to the girl had become known to the residents of the little town of Antioch. Constable E. B. Wheehan had often warned the man to refrain from his ardent courtship, but Langley would not heed his words. Only a few days ago he told some of those with whom he was working on the Bisham building that he had planned to go to Los Angeles and therefore nothing was thought to be wrong when he was not seen in his usual haunts last Friday night.

Constable George Shafter of Brentwood, who knew both Langley and the girl, saw the pair in their flight, but was not concerned, owing to the fact that he had not been informed that the two were missing. It was from information given by Shafter, however, that the couple were traced across the border into Oregon.

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HELD IN CUSTODY.

ROSEBURG, Ore., Jan. 23.—Following instructions wired by Sheriff Veale of Martinez, Cal., officers here Sunday night arrested Jesse L. Langley, aged 47, and Clara Mayes, aged 14, who were en route to Portland to marry. Langley is in jail. The girl is in a local hotel pending the arrival of Veale, who has telephoned that she will secure requisition papers and start for Roseburg immediately.

The girl stoutly declares that she acted on her own volition and her statement is supported by her letters to Langley, found on his person, which were composed of gushing language, showing that she arranged the elopement. Langley says that her mother was willing they should marry, but the father objected.

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YOUTH SHOOTS FAMILY

Advances to Girl Rejected He Tries Murder and Suicide.

Believed Servian Dynasty Will Not Last One More Year.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Special dispatches from Vienna to the morning London newspapers are inclined to attribute the strained relations between Austria-Hungary and Servia partly to the waning influence of King Peter. The King is reported as being powerless to control the policy of his cabinet, owing to the growth of radical and Republican influences which, it is said, appear to threaten the position of the Servian dynasty.

The correspondent of the Daily Mail says:

"It is believed in Austria that the days of the Karađorđević dynasty are numbered and that before a year has elapsed King Peter and his family will be expelled.

King Peter's court is virtually boycotted by the European courts owing to suspicions that he had foreknowledge of the murder of King Alexander and Queen Draga and already a strong party is trying to place a German prince on the Servian throne."

KINGS' DAYS ARE ENDING

TO INSPECT STATE FARM SITE

GOVERNOR PARDEE TO PAY A VISIT AND INVESTIGATE CLAIMS.

CHICO, Jan. 23.—Governor Pardee and Lieutenant-Governor Anderson have written to people in this neighborhood that they will, during the next few days, visit Chico with a view to considering the desirability of the piece of property offered for the State agricultural farm, adjoining the government plant. Introduction garden.

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